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Docket No.: 057810-0077

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Yasuhiko NOMURA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 3966
Application No.: 10/663,707	:	Group Art Unit: 2828
Filed: September 17, 2003	:	Examiner: Golub, Marcia A.
For: NITRIDE-BASED SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE	:	

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2005.